

BOLTERS FORMED A NEW PARTY

The Gold Standard Democrats Perfect An Organization.

HOLD NATIONAL CONVENTION
IN SEPTEMBER.

Thirty-Three States Represented At Indianapolis and Decisive Action Is Agreed Upon—Ticket Will Be Placed In The Field—General Bragg Is One Of The Leaders In The Movement—The Meeting Was Enthusiastic.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 8.—The gold standard party has been organized. It will hold a convention in this city in September to make a platform and nominate candidates for president and vice-president. Thirty-two states were represented at the meeting Friday which launched the new party. There was but little discussion of candidates, the sentiment being that this question ought not to be considered until after the delegates to the convention have been elected.

The national committee of the new party will exert its influence to have every state send delegates to the convention. States will be asked to join



SENATOR PALMER.

the movement with the understanding that it will not be obligatory for them to put electoral tickets in the field unless they deem it wise. It was made clear to all those attending the meeting that the convention is primarily in the interest of the gold standard democrats in the middle western states who are opposed to the election of Bryan and cannot bring themselves to the support of McKinley. It is announced that Indiana and Illinois are the states which the men in this movement hope to hold away from Bryan by putting out the third electoral ticket.

The course of the representatives of the movement was practically settled in secret conference at the Denison hotel at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The thirty-three committeemen who are here met at that hour to talk over the situation. Alabama, Texas, Georgia, Florida, Rhode Island, Maine and two or three other states were opposed to the calling of a convention, but after they were informed that the movement was intended for the special benefit of the gold standard democrats of the middle western states they acquiesced in the plan that had been formulated by the executive committee and afterward, in the open meeting, voted for the convention. Talks with the representatives of twenty-five states indicate that probably twenty states will put electoral tickets in the field.

The men who take the responsibility for calling the convention profess to believe that the movement will grow as the campaign progresses, and that on election day the candidate nominated here next month will receive almost as many votes as many votes as the nominee of the Chicago convention.

It is the intention of the national committee to send speakers of national reputation into every doubtful state as soon as the nominations have been made. There are intimations of assurances that President Cleveland will lend his support to the movement if the platform turns out to be what he should wish, and the candidate is the right kind of a man.

Whenever the subject of candidates was mentioned John M. Palmer of Illinois was the favorite. It seems certain that he can have the nomination if he will take it. The man most talked of as a running mate for him is Simon B. Buckner, ex-governor of Kentucky. There was a good deal of puerile talk to the effect that the Catholics of the country intend to vote against Bryan. C. E. Holman, the committeeman from Maine, claims to have information that the word has gone out to the Catholic church of this country that Bryan must be defeated. The members of this church, it is claimed, will vote for the nominee of the Indianapolis convention in preference to McKinley. Not much credence is put in this story here, but Mr. Holman and a few of the eastern committeemen claim to have definite information, the source of which they cannot make public at this time.

plan of the Chicago resolutions, a committee of five, to be appointed by the chair, be named to prepare a call for a national convention for the purpose of nominating a democratic candidate for president of the United States, and a democratic candidate for vice-president; that committee to report at a night session of the national committee. L. M. Martin, the committeeman from Iowa, seconded it, and it was carried unanimously. The chairman announced the following committee: J. H. Outhwaite of Ohio, Charles Tracy of New York, J. H. Falkner of Alabama, J. C. Krauthoff of Missouri, F. H. McCutcheon of Minnesota.

John R. Wilson, a member of the national committee from Indiana, suggested that, while the committee was waiting, it might be well to hear the representation of claims on the part of various cities who desired the convention. "It is understood now that a convention is to be held," said he, "and we can save time by hearing the claims of the various cities." The committee consented to hear from the cities.

D. W. Lawler spoke for Minneapolis. He said he spoke in behalf of the real democracy of the northwest—the fighting-ground of the present campaign. He said that as a loyal citizen of St. Paul, it gave him pleasure to present the claims of his sister city. Minnesota, he said, was the first state in the union to declare in favor of the nomination of Grover Cleveland four years ago.

The claims of Indianapolis were presented by John L. Griffiths, who spoke in behalf of the Commercial club and the board of trade. He told the committeemen that every dollar necessary for the purposes of the convention had already been secured in Indianapolis, and back of the individual pledges was a guaranty fund of \$10,000.

S. O. Pickens, chairman of the Indiana gold-standard democratic committee, told the members of the committee that upon the return of the Indiana democrats from the Chicago convention they endeavored to ascertain the wishes of the democracy in Indiana with reference to the nomination of a democrat upon a gold-standard platform. "And we found," said he, "that throughout Indiana there is a large number of democrats who are unwilling to support McKinley and who are unwilling to support the nominee of the Chicago convention, and yet are uncertain at this time as to what they will do, and we believe that the holding of this convention in the city of Indianapolis will determine what the democrats of that class in Indiana will do. We believe that the holding of the convention in this city will mean a large number of votes against unsound principles and unsound platform that would otherwise probably not be cast at all." He told the committee that Indiana is a pivotal state and the democrats of Indiana felt that it was of the greatest importance to have the convention come to this city.

The convention was invited to Louisville by Mr. Davie of that city, but he said the hospitality extended by Indianapolis to-day and at all other times was such as to disarm one. Indianapolis won on the first ballot, the vote standing: Indianapolis, 19; Minneapolis, 6; Louisville, 2; not voting, 8.

After the selection of this city as the place for the convention the committeemen and delegates were entertained at a luncheon by the Commercial club and were afterward driven over the city.

It was 8:40 when the committee re-assembled. Senator John M. Palmer was given an ovation when he entered the hall. It was announced at the afternoon session that Gen. Bragg was delayed by a washout on the Pennsylvania. At the night session the announcement was made that he could not get here.

Gen. Charles Tracy stated that they had taken measures to perpetuate the greatest of all parties, and needed the foremost of leaders. He nominated Gen. John M. Palmer of Illinois for chairman of the national committee. Gen. Palmer was selected unanimously.

John R. Wilson of Indiana was elected secretary. John P. Fenzel of Indiana was elected treasurer.

Joseph H. Outhwaite of Ohio, as chairman of the committee on a call for the national convention and plan of organization, reported the following, which was repeatedly interrupted by applause in its reading, and adopted unanimously: "To the Democrats of the United States: A political party has always been defined to be an association of voters to promote the success of political principles held in common. The democratic party, during its whole history, has been pledged to promote the liberty of the individual, the security of private rights and property, and the supremacy of the law. It has always insisted upon a safe and stable money for the people's use, it has insisted upon the maintenance of the financial honor of the nation, as well as upon the preservation inviolate of the institutions established by the constitution. These, its principles, were abandoned by the supposed representatives of the party at a national convention recently assembled at Chicago. The democratic party will, therefore, cease to exist, unless it be preserved by the voluntary action of such of its members as still adhere to the fundamental principles. No majority of the members of the convention, however large, had any right or power to surrender those principles. When they undertook to do so, that assemblage ceased to be a democratic convention. The action taken, the irregular proceedings and the platform enunciated by that body were, and are,

so utterly and indefeasibly revolutionary, and constitute such radical departures from the principles of true democracy, which should characterize a sound and patriotic administration of our country's affairs, that its results are not entitled to the confidence or support of true democrats. For the first time since national parties were formed there is not before the American people a platform declaring the principles of the democratic party as recognized and most courageously and consistently administered by Jefferson, Jackson and Cleveland, nor are their nominees for the offices of president and vice-president of the United States pledged to carry those principles into practical effect. The faithful and true democrats of the United States are determined that their principles shall not be ruthlessly surrendered, nor the people be deprived of an opportunity to vote for candidates in accord therewith.

"Therefore, the national democratic party of the United States, through its regularly constituted committee, hereby calls a national convention of that party for the announcement of its platform and the nomination of candidates for the offices of president and vice-president of the United States, and the transaction of such business as is incidental thereto, to be held at Indianapolis Wednesday, Sept. 2, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon, and hereby requests that the members of the party in the several states who believe in sound money and the preservation of law and order and who are unalterably opposed to the platform adopted and candidates nominated at Chicago, will select in such manner as to them shall seem best a number of delegates to the same equal to twice the number of electoral votes to which such states are respectively entitled. Such delegates shall be duly accredited according to the usages of the democratic party. Their credentials shall be forwarded or delivered to the secretary of this committee in the most convenient speed, and this committee will make up and announce the roll of the delegates entitled to participate in the preliminary organization of the convention."

Chairman Palmer as authorized to appoint an executive committee of nine, which he did in a few days. The committee adjourned to meet here Sept. 1, unless called together sooner by the chairman.

Chairman Palmer announced his executive committee as follows: Alabama, J. M. Falkner; Illinois, John P. Hopkins; Indiana, W. H. Bynum; Kentucky, W. B. Haldeman; Missouri, F. W. Lehmann; Minnesota, F. W. McCutcheon; New York, Charles Tracy; Ohio, Samuel Holding; Wisconsin, Ellis B. Usher.

The executive committee meets this morning to elect a chairman. Chairman Palmer of the national committee is a member of the executive committee ex-officio.

FIRE AT KANSAS CITY.

Swift's Packing Plant Seriously Damaged—One Man Killed.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 8.—One man was killed outright, two were perhaps fatally injured and five others sustained more or less serious injuries in a fire which started at Swift's packing plant at midnight Thursday and burned until late in the morning. The property loss is nearly \$100,000. The dead:

JOSEPH HOBLOWITZ, night watchman; suffocated or burned to death; body still in ruins.

The injured:

Harvey Bidleman, hoseman; fell from third story to ground; will probably die.

Stephen Reynolds, watchman; face and hands terribly burned; may die.

Harry Creasy, watchman; overcome by smoke and scorched.

A. D. Forsinger, head watchman; head cut and hand burned.

A. T. Barclay, watchman; badly burned and hurt by explosion.

John Joss, watchman; badly burned and hurt by explosion.

Joseph Dwyer, fireman; leg badly wrenched.

The fire started in the meat house, apparently from spontaneous combustion, and the watchmen tried to put it out without calling on the fire department. While thus engaged a terrific explosion occurred, throwing the men in all directions. Hoblowitz was buried under a mass of meat and either suffocated or burned to death. His body has not been recovered. The other men sustained injuries but were nearer the exit and managed to crawl to the open air. The explosion was caused by the meats and lard becoming overheated. The fire was confined to the meat house.

The loss on building amounts to \$45,000; that on meats about \$55,000.

McKinley Writes His Letter.

Canton, O., Aug. 8.—Maj. McKinley put in another day on his letter of acceptance and in receiving callers. There were no men of national note here Friday. The next delegation booked is Aug. 13, when there will be a reunion of the 23d Ohio Volunteer infantry, the regiment of Hayes and Garfield, and McKinley. On Aug. 22 fifteen car loads of workmen from New Castle, Pa., are expected.

Heraklion Is In Danger.

Athens, Aug. 8.—It is rumored that the Mussulmans have invaded Heraklion and committed frightful excesses. Many are reported killed and wounded. The Mussulmans forced the Russian consulate and severely maltreated Vice-Consul Sarros. The troops are powerless to check the disorder.

THE TRADE REVIEW BY DUN & COMPANY

MONEY MARKET OF THE COUNTRY TIGHTENING.

Anxiety of European Holders to Sell American Stocks, Disturbances in the Labor World and Failures Having a Pronounced Effect—The Firms That Went to Wall.

New York, Aug. 8.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "The sensational collapse of speculators at Chicago who controlled Diamond Match and New York Biscuit stocks and had hoisted them to fancy prices, with the consequent closing of the Chicago Stock exchange for a period yet indefinite, though followed by remarkably few failures, brings a sudden change in monetary conditions throughout the country. At least a month earlier than had been expected, Chicago has drawn heavily upon the Illinois bank balance here, and withdrawals of other western funds may naturally result. Europeans were also moved to sell American stocks rather freely, so that the average of sixty most active railroad stocks fell about \$2.18 per share, and the average of trust stocks about \$1.88. The instant cooperation of money interests with Chicago to restrict disturbance deserved praise and did much good, but it is not possible to avoid some shock to public confidence and a quick tightening of eastern money markets, which already shuts off commercial loans almost entirely. The collapse also increased the caution of bankers and other lenders regarding loans on securities of a similar character.

It is important that the increase of merchandise exports, \$800,000, or 12 per cent over last year for the week, and the decrease of imports, \$700,000, or 7.7 per cent, still continues to limit the sum payable abroad. In five weeks the increase of exports has been \$4,800,000, or 16 per cent, and the decrease of imports \$3,200,000, or 18 per cent, which helps to balance accounts. The movement of wheat is again large. Atlantic exports being 1,761,033 bushels for the week, floor included, against 753,320 bushels last year, and, since July 1, 8,558,704 bushels, against 4,728,919 last year. Conflicting crop reports are as numerous and noisy as ever, but the more reliable mark up winter wheat to 300,000,000 bushels, and the movement tends to sustain such estimates, for since July 1 western receipts have been 17,633,332 bushels, against 9,330,020 last year. It is not easy to believe that with prices 10 cents lower than a year ago farmers have marketed from a smaller crop 90 per cent more wheat. Corn is also moving rapidly, with western receipts of 4,873,091 bushels, against 1,661,074 last year.

The situation as to cotton is doubtless critical for many producers. Extremely hot and dry weather has done serious harm, but it must, indeed, be an extraordinary condition that reduces the yield 25 per cent in August. Men of much knowledge and experience but a few days ago judged a yield of 10,000,000 bales probable, and if they were now predict only 7,000,000 bales are now predict only 7,000,000 bales are likely to err in the opposite direction. With large acreage, it is always safe to remember that only a part of the crop is ever affected by misfortune between Aug. 1 and frost time. The price rose almost beyond precedent, three-eighths of a cent on Wednesday alone, and the alarm will at least be of service to planters in giving them better prices, whether buyers realize profits or not.

Labor is more disturbed than usual. The great strike of garment workers here has much extended; the strike at Cleveland has broken out again and involves several other branches of labor; the iron furnace men of Shenango Valley resist a reduction to the wages of May, 1895, though Mahoning Valley workers do not; the iron works throughout the country are striving to cut down cost in order to keep in operation; the iron mines of the Gogebic Range are stopping. The suspension of cotton mills has become more general, and over 4,000,000 spindles are said to be idle at Fall River alone, and probably three-eighths or more of the entire producing capacity in the country; the rubber works have mostly stopped, and, notwithstanding the light weight opening, a number of woolen mills also. Evidently both the working force and their wages have been reduced.

The iron markets grow less demoralized in tone because all the associations decided to maintain prices for this month, but the markets are not stronger in volume of orders or purchases. Pressure to sell, even at concessions, is the prevailing rule, and prices are almost nominal. Minor metals are generally weak, but prices of coke and coal are held without variation.

Curtailment of production in cottons does not bring a stronger market, and a few quotations are reduced. Sales of light-weight wools are disappointing and mainly for cheap grades, and in some cases prices are again reduced. Sales of wool for the week were 2,746,400 pounds, against 6,259,300 pounds last year and \$271,700 pounds in 1892.

Cotton Mill Output Cut.

Providence, R. I., Aug. 8.—A conference here of cotton yarn manufacturers, representing nearly every mill in the north, voted to curtail production one-half during August.

TO FIX BOLLIN'S SHORTAGE.

Omaha City Attorney Confers With Bollin's Bondsmen.

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 8.—A conference was held to-day between City Attorney Connell and a special committee composed of the bondsmen of Ex-City Treasurer Bollin, who robbed Omaha of \$100,000. It was found by comparing the reports of City Experts Wetling and Wile that the estimates were entirely dissimilar, the report of Lembeck being several thousand dollars lower than the one submitted by the Omaha experts.

Attorney Connell told the bondsmen that it would be impossible to come to any agreement on the matter until the various amounts signed for by the two sets of bondsmen, corresponding to the two terms served by Bollin, could be ascertained. Part of the second-term bondsmen were signers during the first term, and part of the second term men were not on the first bond.

For the purpose of settling the difference in figures between Expert Lembeck and Experts Wetling and Wile, it was decided to telegraph Lembeck, who is at present in Cleveland, and have him compare his figures with the Omaha men in order to arrange their differences. It was agreed by the city attorney and Bollin's bondsmen that the figures settled upon at the conference should be the amount upon which a compromise should be decided.

FIVE MEN KILLED.

Serious Freight Wreck on the Rock Island Near Leighton, Iowa.

Des Moines, Iowa, Aug. 8.—Five men lost their lives in a freight wreck on the Rock Island road at 3 o'clock Friday morning near Leighton. The train was an extra freight on the way to Chicago, loaded with sheep. One of the cars was derailed by a broken journal and nine cars were derailed. According to the railway officials, the men killed were tramps stealing a ride but another report says they were employees of the Liverpool and Des Moines Packing Company of Des Moines, and gives their names as follows:

WILLIAM SHEA.
WILBUR KUHNER.
ROBERT GEARY.
EDWARD GEARY.

The name of the fifth is not known. Wrecking trains from here and from Davenport were immediately sent to Leighton. They are now at work clearing away the wreck of cars and dead sheep.

McKinley Won't Debate.

Philadelphia, Aug. 8.—Mark Hanna said to a group of Pennsylvania republicans last evening:

"Every campaign contributor, without a single exception, will have access to the books of the national committee and know how every dollar is expended."

Mr. Hanna said the question of Mr. McKinley taking an active part in the campaign has not yet been discussed. His belief is that McKinley will pursue his present course. He will not, Mr. Hanna said, go on the stump against Mr. Bryan.

War on American Money.

Montreal, Aug. 8.—The St. Hyacinth chamber of commerce has passed a resolution expressing its approval of the action of the banks in that district in charging a discount of 10 per cent on all American money. It has also issued a warning to merchants, farmers and the public generally not to accept American money upon any consideration.

Appointment for Bragg.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Secretary Lamont has appointed Gen. E. S. Bragg of Wisconsin commissioner to make certain investigations concerning the rights of the United States in connection with the improvement of the Fox and Wisconsin rivers, directed by the last river and harbor act.

Major Lothaire Acquitted.

Brussels, Aug. 8.—Major Lothaire, who has been on trial here on the appeal of the British government, charged with illegally executing Stokes, the English trader, by hanging him in the Congo Free State for selling arms and ammunition to the natives, has been acquitted.

Built the St. Clair Canal.

Amsterdam, N. Y., Aug. 8.—Peter Fritcher is dead, aged 73 years. He was a well-known contractor and builder, having constructed the St. Clair ship-canal in Michigan and built the arch-bridges in Central Park, New York. He is survived by a widow and two children, a son and a daughter.

Texas Populist Ticket.

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 8.—In the populist convention the St. Louis platform was not endorsed, and was sent back to the platform committee after amendments had been made. Following is the state ticket: For governor, Jerome Kearby; for lieutenant-governor, H. S. P. Ashby; for attorney general, W. M. Walton.

Bald Rides a Fast Mile.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 8.—Eddie Cannon Bald relieved his defeat of Thursday at the hands of Otto Ziegler by making, in the mile open professional race, the fastest time ever made by a rider paced by single machines. It was in the final heat that the fast Buffalo boy reduced his own world's single-paced record from 2:07 to 2:01 4-5.

A STORM SWEEPS BADGER STATE

Buildings Struck By Bolts and Destroyed By Fire.

THE LOSS AT BLACK RIVER FALLS IS \$3,000.

Cash Grocery Company's Establishment Is a Total Loss With All Its Contents—School Building Fired by a Stroke, and Burned to the Ground—Wanewoc Building Severely Damaged—Union Center Feels Electric Force.

Black River Falls, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special].—A bolt of lightning struck the store of the Cash Grocery Company this morning, setting the building on fire. The edifice and all its contents were totally destroyed entailing a loss that is estimated at \$3,000. There was \$1,000 insurance on the building and the stock of goods.

Elroy, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special].—During a terrific electrical storm this afternoon, lightning struck the school building occupied by the primary department and it was burned to the ground. The building was insured.

Wanewoc Building Damaged.

Wanewoc, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special].—Lightning struck the large brick school building here this morning in about the same place that it did on May 13 last, when one pupil was killed and several others seriously injured. Today it knocked off one corner of the belfry, throwing boards from twenty to thirty feet. The flood followed down the wall and shattered the floor badly in the high school and recitation rooms. Then it went down a chimney to an intermediate room where the wall and floor were badly torn.

Elroy, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special].—The new brick school house at Union Center was struck by lightning, and considerably damaged this morning.

Oconto Man Will Die.

Oconto, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special].—A destructive and probably fatal storm swept over the section of the state last night. The injured:

BITTERS, ALBERT.

Bitters was struck by a bolt of lightning this morning, and rendered unconscious during the storm. He is twenty-seven years of age. Physicians say that he will die.

Suicide Is Foiled.

Waterloo, Wis., Aug. 8.—[Special].—William Engel became tired of living and cut his throat last night. The gash was sewed up and Engel may recover.

To Bring Her Body Home.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 8.—A movement is on foot in this city to raise funds with which to remove the remains of Miss Kate Field from Honolulu, where she died a few months ago, to the family plot at Mount Auburn.

Miss Field's last request was that her remains should be interred in her native land, but thus far none of her immediate friends have interested themselves in the case. As Miss Field left no estate, the Examiner has offered to receive subscriptions from press clubs, as well as from associations and individuals interested in the movement, the funds secured to be used to bring the remains to the United States.

Desperately Bent on Dying.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 8.—S. Argyle Campbell of Springfield, Mo., employed as traveling salesman by a Cincinnati cigar house, committed suicide here last night in a room in the Wisconsin building, cutting his throat in two places, severing the arteries of both wrists and gashing himself all over both legs and his body with a penknife. The suicide also fired two bullets at his head, but owing to his enfeebled condition from loss of blood his aim was so poor that the bullets inflicted only flesh wounds. The suicide had been in Kansas City for over a week, had been drinking and was out of money.

Britons Whip Matabeles.

Cape Town, Aug. 8.—Details have been received here of the decisive victory won on Wednesday by the 700 British troops composing Col. Plumer's column over a native force estimated to have numbered from 5,000 to 7,000. The latter fought most desperately and bravely, charging up within a few yards of the British rapid fire guns. About 500 of the Matabele warriors were slain during the engagement, which lasted several hours, and the loss of the British included Maj. Kershaw, Lieut. Harvey, four sergeants, about 30 soldiers killed and six officers, several non-commissioned officers and about 30 soldiers killed and six officers, unofficial figures.

He Wrecked the Palace.

Havana, Aug. 8.—The police of this city have detained in solitary confinement two men, one of whom has confessed to having been the author of the dynamite outrage which wrecked a portion of the palace of the governor-general April 28 last. The prisoner also stated that he intended to cause further dynamite explosions, but he added that he had demanded money and had received it upon promising not to carry out his designs.

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THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

SCHOOL COMMENCES SEPT. 21

Full Term Will Open at That Time—Board in Session

At last night's meeting of the Board of Education:

Bills amounting to \$145.91 were ordered paid. It was voted to have certain painting, calculating and binding done.

The matter of the buying of new books was left to the text book committee.

Ordered the payment of \$102.50 balance due on the yearly report.

Decided to have the full term begin Monday, Sept. 21.

Authorized the building committee to make necessary repairs, and instructed the clerk to procure chairs, printed matter, etc.

Commissioner Golding was the only absentee and Commissioner Shearer was chosen as chairman pro tem.

After the journal had been read, bills amounting to \$145.91 were ordered paid. Plans and specifications for the painting and calculating of the Jefferson school building were adopted and it was decided to require a certified check or deposit from the bidders.

Storm windows were also ordered on the west side of the Grant building and on the north and west sides of the Adams building.

The clerk was instructed to have the necessary amount of building done.

Supt. Mayne stated that the condition of the supplementary reading at the schools was bad. A number of books had been used to tatters. He thought about \$200 would be sufficient to supply the demand.

On motion of Commissioner Cunningham the matter was referred to the text book committee.

Superintendent Mayne reported a balance due on the bill for the yearly reports of \$242.50. Orders for advertising amounting to \$40 had been received, leaving \$102.50 still due.

There was enough due from advertising to balance the account, but it was coming slow. The board advanced the \$102.50. The clerk was ordered to procure such printing of blanks, etc., as was necessary, and on motion of Commissioner Hayner it was decided to open the fall term of the schools on Monday, September, 21.

The term will probably close on Thursday, December 24.

On motion of Commissioner Clemmons the small repairs to be made on the various school buildings were left with the building committee, and on motion of Commissioner Hayner the clerk was instructed to purchase such chairs as were needed for the schools.

THE PROGRAMME FOR TONIGHT

LOCAL Union social.

AMERICA Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah.

For Sunday Afternoon.

Y. M. C. A. meeting at 3 o'clock.

Home Seekers' Excursions.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell home seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points on its own lines in Iowa, the Dakotas, northern Minnesota and northern Wisconsin.

Also, to points on the other railways south, southwest, west and north, crossing several states and territories, at half fare plus 3¢. Limited to twenty-one days. Date of sale, August 4, 18; September 1, 15 and 29; October 6 and 20.

Cheap Excursion to the West and Northwest.

On August 4, 18, September 1, 15, 29, October 6 and 20, 1896, the Northwestern line (Chicago & Northwestern R'y.) will sell Home Seekers' excursion tickets at very low rates to a large number of points in the west and northwest.

For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

Half Fare Excursion to Omaha.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell excursion tickets to Omaha and return at half-fare, on August 15, 17 and 18, good for return (unless extended) on August 24 and 25. An extension of return limit of twenty days may be obtained by depositing ticket with joint agent at Omaha. Electric lighted, vestibuled trains to Omaha. Leave Janesville at 6:35 p. m.; arrive at Omaha at 8 a. m.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the wind, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures the colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Store Room.

We have a nice dry store room for household goods or merchandise of any kind. Lowell Hardware Co.

WHITE bed spreads, worth \$1.25, for \$84 cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Heavy work horse, weight 1,400 lbs., 7 years old. He can be bought at a bargain. Lowell Hardware Co.

FOR SALE—Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

FOR RENT OR SALE—House on West Milwaukee St. Whitehead, Matheson & Smith.

WANTED.

WANTED—A light driving horse or riding pony. Enquire at 213 North Bluff St.

WANTED—Competent girl for general house work. Enquire of O. D. Rowe, Register of Deeds.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Enquire at 8 North East street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A new eight room house. Enquire No. 10 Olive St.

FOR RENT—House, corner South Main and Carrington streets, also house, Number 17, Home Park avenue. A. P. Burnham or John Whitehead.

BERTIE R. IS A GOOD ANIMAL.

Horse That Trotted Here Wins From Baron Dillon Yesterday.

Bertie R., the horse that won the 2:12 class trotting race here, won the free-for-all at Griggsville, Ill., yesterday, beating Baron Dillon, and others.

The best time was 2:15, and was made by the Baron. Bertie R. turned the Janesville track in 2:12.

Miss Nelson, Richard Curtis' horse, who won fourth money in the 2:12 trotting class here, started in the 2:12 class at Columbus, yesterday, and got third money. Busie Clay, who won her race here in 2:12, got fourth money in the 2:20 pace at Columbus. The best time was 2:09.

VEGETABLES SELL AT LOW PRICES

Peddlers Offer Their Goods at Very Reasonable Rates.

Home grown vegetables of nearly every description are now being put upon the market at both retail and wholesale at very low prices. Peddling wagons from surrounding farms came into the city this morning as early as 4:30 o'clock and after visiting the local grocery stores they canvass the hotels. As a last resort private residences are visited and the surplus is generally disposed of.

Corn sold as low as eight cents a dozen ears, cucumbers nine cents a dozen, tomatoes two cents a pound, were some of the prices quoted.

Institute and Examinations

For annual summer Institute for teachers will be held at Evansville, beginning August 31st and continuing one week. Persons having schools engaged should arrange with district boards to begin after the Institute is over. Nothing more surely marks the character of the teacher than his attitude toward such meetings. Come to the Institute. Bring with you the Manual, a tablet, a pencil and such text books as you can conveniently. Readers and song books can be procured for a few cents. at the Institute. No tuition will be charged.

PREs. DUNCAN MCGREGOR, Plattville, Conductors.

Public teachers' examinations will be held at:

Newark, (Skinner school house) August 10 and 11.

Edgerton, August 17 and 18.

Evansville, August 24 and 25.

Hanover, October 30th and 31st.

A fee of one dollar will be charged each applicant for a certificate. The money to be used for paying Institute conductors. Friends of education are invited to inspect the work done at these gatherings. Wm. M. Ross, Co. Superintendent.

Don't trifle away time when you have cholera morbus or diarrhoea. Fight them in the beginning with DeWitt's Colic and Cholera cure. You don't have to wait for results. They are instantaneous and it leaves the bowels in healthy condition. C. D. Stevens.

Rate

TWENTY-ONE rats were captured in one week with a Marti wire trap a short time ago, and ten of them were caught in one night. The Moutz traps can be purchased at the Lowell Hardware Co's. store.

The whole system is drained and undermined by indolent ulcers and open sores. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve speedily heals them. It is the best pile cure known. C. D. Stevens.

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Via the Beaver Line from Montreal-uebec to Liverpool, or via any steamship line crossing the Atlantic, at lowest rates for first cabin, second cabin and steerage, both outward and prepaid, apply to P. L. Hinrichs, agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y., at Janesville, Wis., or address C. F. Wenham, Gen'l Steamship Agent, 48 Adams St., Chicago, Ill.

"Boys will be boys," but you can't afford to lose any of them. Be ready for the green apple season by having DeWitt's Colic and Cholera Cure in the house. C. D. Stevens.

Hello Workmen.

We can tickle your pocket on pants, shirts, stockings, shoes, etc. We have a very nice line of all that class of goods. Lowell Hardware Co.

Many a day's work is lost by sick headache, caused by indigestion and stomach troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most effective pill for overcoming such difficulties. C. D. Stevens.

Half Rates to Omaha.

Via the Northwestern line (Chicago & Northwestern railway) August 15, 17 and 18, 1896—one fare for the round trip. On August 24 excursion tickets at very low rates will be sold from Omaha to Denver and the famous Hot Springs of South Dakota.

For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

It doesn't matter much whether sick headache, biliousness, indigestion and constipation are caused by neglect or unavoidable circumstances; DeWitt's Little Early Risers will speedily cure them all. C. D. Stevens.

Theories of cure may be discussed at length by physicians, but the sufferers want quick relief; and One Minute Cough Cure will give it to them. A safe cure for children. It is "the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results." C. D. Stevens.

CHICAGO RIDERS ARE NERVO.

Made Quick Time to Janesville, Regardless of the Heat.

Three Chicago cyclists left the World's Fair city on their bicycles, their intention being to make Janesville in one day. The party included L. L. La Pointe, John Franz and H. A. Allen. The roads were in bad condition, and the scorching sun was enough to kill the average cyclist, but La Pointe and Franz arrived in this city yesterday afternoon, and will visit local relatives for the next week. Mr. Allen did not finish the trip.

ODD BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP.

"DON'T be cross dear I'll buy you a pair of ox blood shoes at Richardson's."

Sets of dishes complete can be bought at our store cheaper than elsewhere. Lowell's.

Just the thing for a bath these hot days, those 10 cent Turkish towels we offer. Bort, Bailey & Co.

WORKINGMEN's pants, shirts, shoes and clothing of all kinds, we make a specialty of. Lowell Hardware Co.

At a bargain, three 8 foot, nickel plated show cases in fine condition. Make us an offer. Lowell Hardware Co.

ONLY one second hand gasoline stove left. It's a fairly good one and we wish to trade it for some 16 to 1 money. Lowell Hardware Co.

We can attend to your tin and furnace work on short notice these days. Our men are all experienced. Lowell Hardware Co.

SCREENS are going fast. If you want a good screen complete, spring, hinges, handle, hook, etc., for 90 cents, hurry along. Lowell Hardware Company.

Harvest Excursions

In order to give everyone an opportunity to see the grand crops in the western states and enable the intending settler to secure a home, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y. has arranged to run a series of harvest excursions to South and North Dakota and to other states in the west, northwest and southwest on the following dates: July 21, August 4 and 18, September 1, 15, 29 and October 6 and 20 at the low rate of two dollars more than one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good for return on any Tuesday or Friday within twentyone days from date of sale. For rates, time of trains and further details apply to any ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y.

If you have ever seen a little child in the agony of summer complaint, you can realize the danger of the trouble and appreciate the value of instantaneous relief always afforded by DeWitt's Colic and Cholera Cure. D. D. Stevens.

Fast Train For Devil's Lake.

Leaves Janesville 4:05 p. m. every Saturday and arrives at Devil's Lake at 6:20 p. m. Returning leaves Devil's Lake every Monday at 6:16 a. m. and arrives at Janesville at 9:35 a. m. For reduced rate excursion tickets apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Poison Ivy, insect bites, bruises, scalds, burns, are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great pile cure. C. D. Stevens.

WOMAN TO WOMAN.

Women are being taught by bitter experience that many physicians cannot successfully handle their peculiar ailments known as female diseases. Doctors are willing and anxious to help them, but they are the wrong sex to work understandingly.

When the woman of to-day experiences such symptoms as backache, nervousness, lassitude, whites, irregular or painful menstruation, bearing-down sensation, palpitation, "all gone" feeling and blues, she at once takes Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, feeling sure of obtaining immediate relief.

Should her symptoms be new to her, she writes to a woman, Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., who promptly explains her case, and tells her free how to get well.

Indeed, so many women are now appealing to Mrs. Pinkham for advice, that a score of lady secretaries are kept constantly at work answering the great volume of correspondence which comes in every day. Each letter is answered carefully and accurately, as Mrs. Pinkham fully realizes that a life may depend upon her reply, and into many and many a home has she shed the rays of happiness.

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Twenty-two dozen Belts, being the complete sample line of an Eastern manufacturer and comprising everything that is new in the Belt line, bought at fifty cents on the \$. In the line are:

White Kid Belts, Alligator Belts, Morocco Belts, Ooze Leather Belts, Silk Belts, Plaid Belts, Patent Leather Belts, Dresden Belts, Purse Belts, Linen Belts, and the very latest novelty---the Harness Belt in a large variety of styles.

Four special lines will take in the whole stock which will offer the best Belt bargains of this summer season.

Boys' White Canvas Belts, Friday and Saturday - 5c

A big collection of Leather Belts, Friday and Saturday - 9c

White Kid Belts, Patent Leather Belts, Silk Belts, Ooze Belts, Morocco Belts, Linen Belts, Novelty Leather Belts; an immense line worth up to half a dollar. Friday and Saturday - 19c

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Arranged for sale and inspection on the first dress goods counter where it is handy for you to drop in.

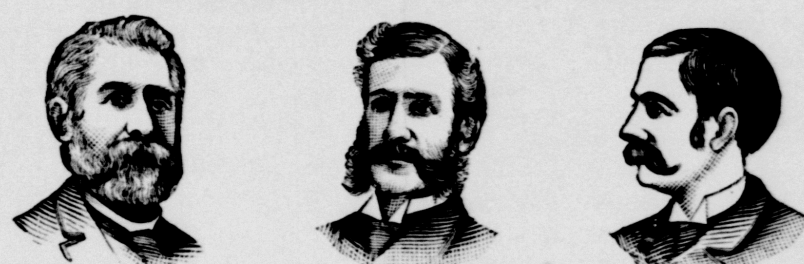
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All persons suffering from Catarrh and its complications will be treated for \$1.00 per month until cured, if they apply to these eminent physicians on August 12. Let there be no misander standing—\$1.00 per month pays your doctor bill and medicines.

EXAMINATION FREE TO ALL.

All chronic sufferers are invited to call and be examined free of charge. If your case is found to be incurable, the doctors will tell you so quickly and frankly, and will positively refuse to treat incurable cases. During two years' successful practice in Milwaukee, they have earned an enviable reputation for honesty, straightforward methods and fair dealings with all. Their supreme skill. Call early. Rooms always crowded.

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CATARRH CURED—Consumption in the incipient stage; French's, Asthma, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, Scrofula, Sores, Ulcers and all Chronic Blood Troubles; Eczema, Psoriasis, Pimples, Itchiness and all Skin troubles treated and cured.

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We publish at half rates church and society notices of entertainments given for revenue.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1503—Pope Alexander VI (Rodrigo Borgia, the infamous) died of poison prepared for some cardinals, but given to him by mistake; born 1431; elected 1492.

1540—Henry VIII married his fifth wife, Catherine Howard; finding her not a virgin, he had her beheaded.

1770—Benjamin Silliman, noted American scientist, born; died 1854.

1812—John Rodgers, admiral and son of the more famous John, born in Hartford county, Md.; died 1882.

1835—General Gouverneur K. Warren, veteran corps commander of the Army of the Potomac, died in Newport, R. I.; born 1833. General Warren distinguished himself at Little Round Top, Gettysburg, and later as commander of the Fifth Army corps. At the time of the assault made by his troops upon Lee's intrenchments at Spottsylvania in 1864 Warren marched bravely in front of the host, resplendent in a new uniform. He was the idol of his men.

SECOND ASSEMBLY DISTRICT

Assembly matters now take the attention of politicians. The most vigorous campaign in progress is in the Second district, where Evansville and Edgerton are lined up in friendly rivalry as they were in county affairs. Almeron Eager of Evansville, was announced formally as a candidate nearly a month ago and has done considerable campaigning. The fact that Rock county has been his home forty-two years has given him an acquaintance that is of value in such a situation.

A. S. Flagg, who was urged by many Edgerton men two years ago, has been mentioned frequently. He has been mayor of Edgerton, has served several terms as supervisor, and is deservedly popular.

W. W. Clarke, of Milton, another well known republican whose availability has been discussed, is not yet formally in the field, feeling that Edgerton should have much to say this year in selecting the man.

Whatever the outcome, it seems certain that the Second assembly district will be represented by a man of ability and judgment in Madison, next winter.

Robert M. La Follette has no better friends than the republicans of Rock county, but they would like to have him explain some of the statements his hot-headed friends sent out, and they hope that before he enters the field again he will change his tactics.

The state convention hesitated when it came to dividing the party. This isn't a good year to emphasize factional differences.

The value of the brass band in political duck hunting seems to have been exaggerated.

GOSSIP OF A LOCAL NATURE.

Don't fail to see the street parade Monday.

SUMMER goods of all descriptions, we are closing out. Bort, Bailey & Co.

SEE the street parade and hear the concert in front of the Opera House Monday evening.

SIX towels the large Turkish kind for 60 cents, worth \$1.20 for that number. Bort, Bailey & Co.

We can attend to your tin and furnace work on short notice these days. Our men are all experienced. Lowell Hardware Co.

New features annually characterize the programme of the Scotch games. A mile walk, a mile relay race between twelve men, a golf drive and bicycle races for ladies, and for fat men, have been added, this year. An immense attendance is anticipated on Friday, at the fair grounds.

Balfour May Step Out.

London, Aug. 8.—The Daily News (liberal) says: "It is stated that Gerald Balfour (chief secretary for Ireland) will resign if the lords insist upon the amendments to the Irish land bill, which they adopted last night."

BASEBALL REPORT.

Games Played in the National League Yesterday.

The eastern teams are putting up a pretty weak article of ball against Baltimore just now, and it looks as if Hanlon's way to his third successive championship banner would be made easy. It is not likely the eastern clubs will deliberately throw the pennant to Baltimore, and yet games will be watched closely with a suspicion that some such thing is not an impossibility. Scores of yesterday's games:

At Boston—
Washington0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0—4
Boston0 1 0 0 0 1 0 1—3At Cleveland—
Cleveland0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—3
Pittsburg1 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0—3At Baltimore—
Baltimore0 2 1 0 3 3 7 0*—16
New York0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1

The Philadelphia-Brooklyn game was called at the end of the second inning on account of rain, the score being 0 to 0.

SHIP'S FATE NOT KNOWN.

City of Philadelphia Was Vessel

Wrecked on the Falklands May 14. San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 8.—The ship which was wrecked on the Falkland islands May 14 was undoubtedly the clipper ship City of Philadelphia, which sailed from New York the morning of Feb. 2 last, bound for San Francisco.

Nothing more was heard of the vessel until late in July last, when advices from the Falkland islands, under date of June 9, indicated that the ship had foundered there. The articles saved by the salvors have been described minutely and have been recognized by the shippers as the goods shipped to San Francisco on the City of Philadelphia. The crew of the City of Philadelphia numbered twenty-five men. It was commanded by Capt. Johnson, who was accompanied by his wife and family, and besides these there was one passenger.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade today:

Articles.	High.	Low.	Aug. 7.	Aug. 6.
Wheat—				
Aug. ....	.56 1/4	.55	.55 1/4	.55 1/4
Sept. ....	.56 3/4	.55 1/2	.56 1/4	.56 1/4
Dec. ....	.59 1/2	.58 1/2	.59 1/4	.59 1/4
Corn—				
Aug. ....	.24 1/2	.24	.24 1/4	.24 1/4
Sept. ....	.25 1/2	.24 1/2	.25 1/4	.25 1/4
Dec. ....	.28 1/2	.27 1/2	.28 1/4	.28 1/4
Oats—				
Aug. ....	.17	.17	.17 1/2	.17 1/2
Sept. ....	.17 1/2	.17 1/4	.17 1/2	.17 1/2
May ....	.20 1/2	.19 1/4	.20	.20
Pork—				
Aug.	6.35	6.35	6.40	6.40
Sept.	6.45	6.30	6.40 1/2	6.10
Oct.	6.10	6.00	6.02 1/2	6.10
Jan.	7.02 1/2	6.85	6.90	7.05
Lard—				
Aug.	3.15	3.15	3.20	3.25
Sept.	3.20	3.15	3.20	3.25
Oct.	3.30	3.22 1/2	3.25	3.30
Jan.	3.60	3.50	3.55	3.60
Short ribs—				
Aug.	3.25	3.25	3.27 1/2	3.42 1/2
Sept.	3.35	3.25	3.27 1/2	3.42 1/2
Oct.	3.40	3.32 1/2	3.32 1/2	3.45
Jan.	3.52 1/2	3.45	3.47 1/2	3.57 1/2

Defenses in South Africa.

Cape Town, Aug. 8.—The premier of Cape Colony, Sir J. Gordon Spriggs, addressing his constituents at East London, said that the government proposed to attend to the defenses of the country and construct batteries at Algoa bay and Buffalo harbor as a contribution to the empire of which they formed a part.

Blaze at Trenton, N. J.

Trenton, N. J., Aug. 8.—The works of the Trenton Fire Clay and Porcelain Company were destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, \$150,000. One fireman named Charles Woods was killed outright by falling walls and several injured, one seriously.

Way Down.

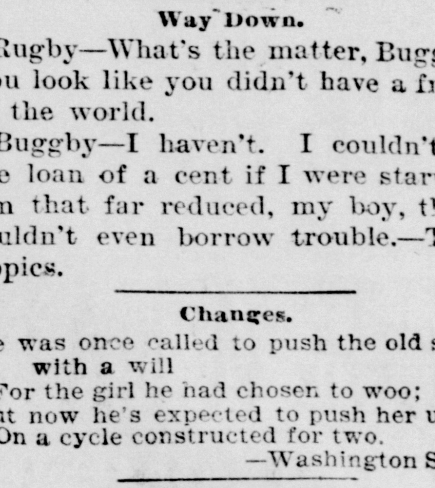
Rugby—What's the matter, Buggy? You look like you didn't have a friend in the world.

Buggy—I haven't. I couldn't get the loan of a cent if I were starving. I'm that far reduced, my boy, that I couldn't even borrow trouble.—Town Topics.

Changes.

He was once called to push the old swing with a will.
For the girl he had chosen to woo;
But now he's expected to push her up hill
On a cycle constructed for two.
—Washington Star.

A FRIENDLY TURN.



Willie Stay—Johnny, what are you doing with the insect bellows?

Johnny—It's for you, Mr. Stay. Sister said if you called again she would put a flea in your ear.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A Painful Truth.

While women to the front would get, And for more recognition sigh,
A parol's the best thing yet
They've found to catch the public eye.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

The Champion Century Rider.

"And after all your talk," said the man who still drives a horse, "Father Time with his cycles has reeled off more centuries than the best of you riders."—Chicago Tribune.

THE NEWS OF THE CITY

Oh, Uncle John, why don't you wear Richardson's oxblood shoes?

"Just tell them that you saw me" wearing Richardson's oxblood shoes.

A MOTHER'S appeal to her boy—buy a pair of Richardson's oxblood shoes.

You may have seen better days, but no better styles than Richardson's oxblood shoes.

THE man that broke the bank at Monte Carlo, wears Richardson's oxblood shoes.

1,400-pound horse 7 years old, sound and good, for sale cheap. Lowell Hardware Co.

TAYLOR'S August sale on buggies of all kinds will save you 25 per cent. Don't miss it.

THE holes in the streets, caused by the recent storm, are being filled with clay and dirt.

BUY your buggy or surrey now while the prices are 25 per cent. less than usual. F. A. Taylor.

YOU can get Pearl White or Vienna flour at any grocery, or if they don't have it, then we sell it at the mill. J. M. Shackleton.

DON'T lose sight of our summer sale of dry goods, for an instant. There is money for you in it. T. P. Burns.

MR. and Mrs. George A. Charlton entertained a party of friends in a charming manner last night, in honor of the opening of two night blooming cactus plants. A similar gathering was also present at the home of John Lyke.

THE BOSTON STORE,

7 and 9 S. River street.

10c bottle Mustard.....	.05c
10c " Catsup.....	.05c
Bottled Onions.....	.06c
Fancy mixed Pickles.....	.06c
Sweet Pickles, per package.....	.04c
Domestic Canned, per can.....	.04c
Large size can.....	.08c
Bottled Olives.....	.08c
Canned Mackerel.....	.10c
Canned Salmon.....	.10c
Pineapple Jams, per jar.....	.05c
Rolls Oats, per package.....	.50c
Borden's Extract of Coffee, per can.....	.50c
Thompson's Wild Cherry phosphate, per bottle.....	.05c
Cove oysters, per can.....	.10c
Boston baked beans, 3 lb. can.....	.10c
A. B. Stove Polish, per bottle.....	.10c

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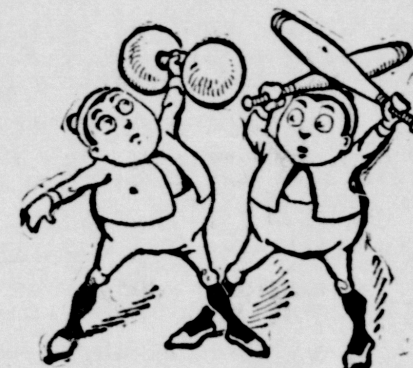
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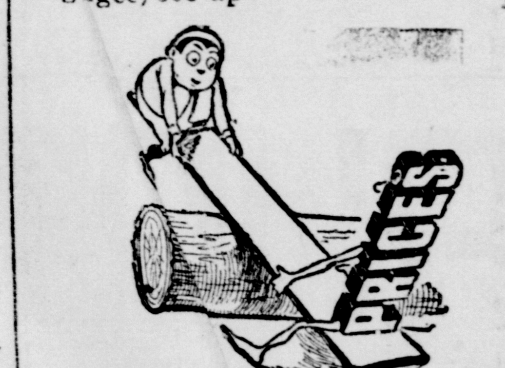
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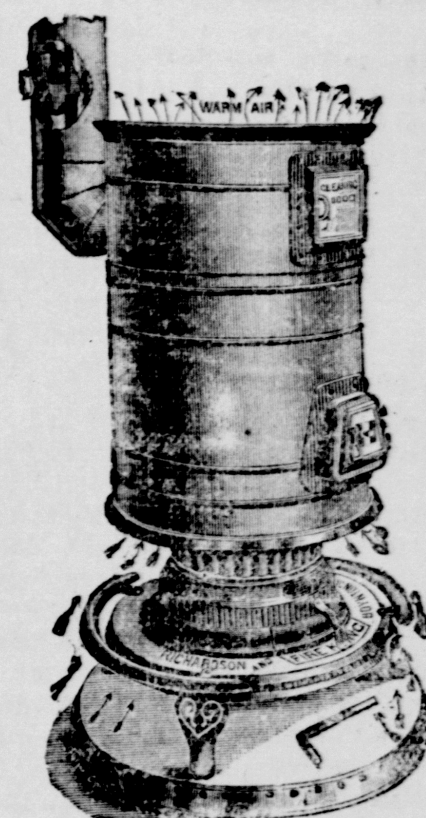
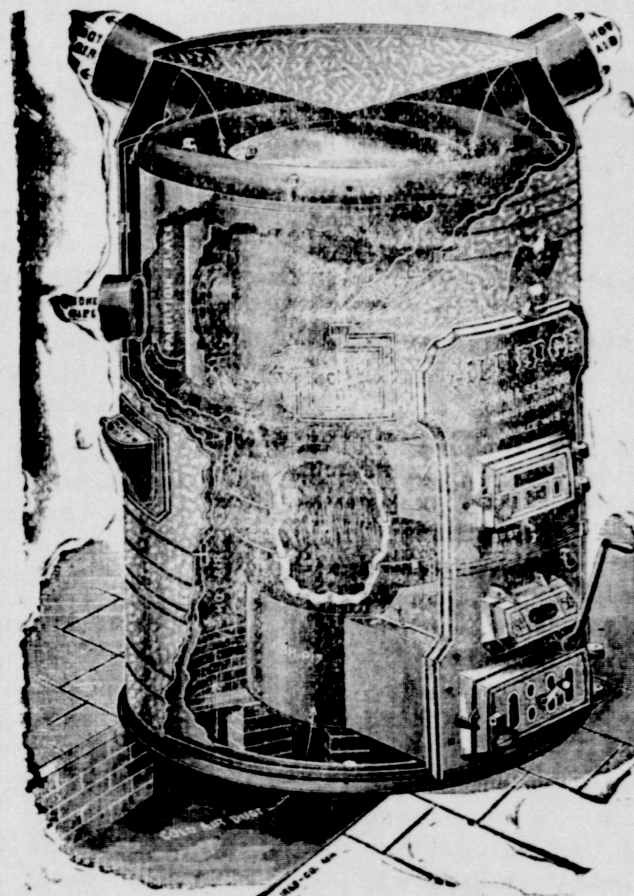
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In the season of little thought for winter necessities the wise man looks ahead.

NOW

Is the accepted time--This very week, for you to examine your



Furnace

and see if the old one will stand the siege of another winter's coaling---if it needs repairing, if the pipes and registers are all right, if the grates, etc. are complete---or if a new one should replace it.

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should be done now, not when cool weather drives you to the task. Later on our men will be far busier than at present, attending to wants of those who didn't think.

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should all be attended at once. We won't charge you too much. We can guarantee that.

New Furnaces==

We are putting in several now and can figure at the bottom of the shaft of prices. Our Furnaces heat well and are always satisfactory. We make estimates cheerfully.

LOWELL HARDWARE CO.,

The Big Store on the corner.

VANKIRK THE HEAD OF NEW COMMITTEE

VETERAN LEADER RETURNED TO HIS POST.

Campaign Funds Are Not to be Raised This Year By Large Subscriptions From Wealthy Leaders—Rock's Share Will be Six Hundred Dollars.

W. T. Vankirk was re-elected chairman of the county committee at today's meeting.

The committee organized by electing G. H. Crosby, of Turtle, temporary chairman and W. W. Clarke, of Milton, temporary secretary. T. S. Nolan offered a resolution that the committee be limited to its own members in choosing a chairman. The motion received no second and W. A. Mayhew moved that an informal ballot be taken without further delay. The list of delegates was read and a list of proxies made. A. H. Sheldon held three from Beloit, D. Mihills one from Evansville and others ran to the secretary of the convention. The informal ballot stood;

W. T. Vankirk.....15
T. W. Goldin.....12
T. S. Nolan.....1
W. A. Mayhew.....1

On motion of W. A. Mayhew the informal ballot was declared formal and Mr. Vankirk was declared the nominee.

W. A. Jackson was made secretary and L. W. Kendall treasurer. The chair was authorized to name five committeemen to act with the president and secretary as an executive committee.

W. A. Mayhew moved that four of the executive committee constitute a quorum to audit bills and transact business. The motion was carried.

Rich Men Not To Be Relied Upon.

W. W. Clarke, as member of the state central committee, spoke briefly of the raising of campaign funds. There had been objection in years past, he said, because the state campaign fund was supposed to have been furnished largely by two or three rich men. These heavy subscribers, it was urged, had by virtue of their liberality exercised undue influence in state affairs. A change was promised this year. The campaign fund was to be raised in great measure from the rank and file of the party and reliance would no longer be placed upon the rich members of the party. Rock county, Mr. Clarke understood was expected to raise \$600 besides the expenses of the county campaign, which were met by contributions of county candidates. The \$600 would come, it was expected, from the voters in general, thus doing away with the possibility of the suspicion of undue influence on the part of wealthy leaders.

The announcement of a \$600 assessment was somewhat of a surprise and the matter was referred to the executive committee with instructions to report.

County Caucuses in Question.

A surprise was sprung on the convention by T. S. Nolan, who offered this resolution:

WHEREAS, in the various primary caucuses heretofore held, there have been elected delegates to the conventions not called at the time of the holding of such caucuses; and delegates have been elected at various caucuses without notice that such delegates were to be elected; and

WHEREAS, when delegates are elected before a convention is called, such election is irregular and leads to confusion, and where delegates are elected when no specific call is made, may lead to misrepresentation; therefore

RESOLVED, That it is irregular to elect delegates to a convention prior to a call for such convention, and where it has been done, other caucuses shall be held; and

RESOLVED, That it is irregular to elect delegates to a convention at a caucus, when no notice has been given that such delegates would be elected, and where it has been done, other caucuses shall be held.

There was a sharp debate which wound up by Henry Tarrant's declaration that "so far as he knew no snap caucuses had been held. When such caucuses were held no time would be lost in setting things to rights." Chairman Vankirk expressed pleasure that the matter had been brought up, as there had been considerable inquiry.

The resolution was voted down by a considerable majority.

EARL DOTY WITH NEW COMPANY

Goes to Alliance, Ohio, First and Will Work Up Into Canada.

Clarence Burdick of this city, who is known as Earl Doty, on the stage, will leave Chicago tomorrow evening, at the head of a theatrical company, known as the Doty & Adams Company. They start out with eleven people and after playing at Alliance, Ohio, they then work up into Canada.

Early Settlers' Picnic.

The Early Settlers' club of Janesville and vicinity will hold their annual basket picnic on Tuesday, the 18th day of August, at Crystal Springs and Mayflower parks. The grounds will be open from 10 o'clock during the day, free of charge, and all early settlers and their friends are cordially invited to attend. Social intercourse, interspersed with impromptu speeches and talks from old pioneers, will be the order of the day. Boats will run from their docks, alternating every half hour during the day and evening from ten o'clock a. m. Fare for the round trip twenty-five cents. Children under fifteen years of age, ten cents. Persons desirous of becoming members of the club can do so at any time by applying to the undersigned.

F. S. LAWRENCE, Secretary.

A. W. HALL, of 51 Cherry street, returned from Whitewater sick, last Thursday, and has been at home since.

ODD BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP.

MONEY to loan. S. D. Grubb. RASTUS on parade with Richardson's ox blood tan shoes.

\$3.75 buys a \$5 Foster ladies tan shoe. Bennett & Cram.

\$1.50 buys a fine Sunday shoe for the men. Bennett & Cram.

\$3.75 buys a \$5 Bannister needle toe shoe. Bennett & Cram.

Five pounds pure leaf lard for 25 cents is dirt cheap. Nolan Bros.

The finest leaf lard is still selling 5 lbs. for 25 cents. Nolan Bros.

HURRY in your orders for the finest leaf lard 5 lbs. for 25 cents. Nolan Bros.

Buy Golden Eagle flour of Louis Buggs & Bro. Warranted the best. Take no other.

REMEMBER, 50 cents takes you to the big union Methodist picnic, next Tuesday, at Kegonsa.

For that tired feeling drink coca cola, 5 cents at our fountain. C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy.

I HAVE a good second hand single harness and buggy for sale at a bargain. F. A. Taylor.

The prizes offered at the Scotch games Friday are fifty per cent larger than last year.

Come and enjoy yourself at the old time Methodist picnic, held at Lake Kegonsa, next Tuesday.

It is only a forty-five minute ride from here to Lake Kegonsa. Come and take in the picnic next Tuesday.

1,500 yards of nine-fourths unbleached sheeting at 11 1/2 cents a yard, how on sale at Bort, Bailey & Co.

The Quaker Gentleman cigar makes fast friends and makes friends fast. 5 cents at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy.

SEVERAL night blooming cereus blossoms will open tonight at the residence of John Lyke, on South Main street.

The best bargains ever offered in the city are those white bed spreads, worth \$1.25, for 94 cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Mrs. W. J. McIntyre at her Forest Park home entertained a few of her friends at a 6 o'clock tea on yesterday afternoon.

We have just put in our case a few very nice cigars, 10 for 25 cents west cigars; three for 25 cents. C. D. Stevens' pharmacy.

LARD isn't like hot cakes but we are selling 5 lbs. for 25 cents that goes like the much talked of hot cakes. Nolan Bros.

The amusement event of next week will be the Scotch games at the fair grounds. The wrestling match is a big attraction of itself.

PRESBYTERIAN services will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Thompson, now of New York, former pastor of this church. No evening service.

THREE young men who attended a local bicycle party last evening raced about the race track to see who would buy the ice cream for the party.

WE have 100 pieces of new outing flannels at 6 1/2 cents a yard. The colorings light, dark, striped and plaid are beautiful. Bort, Bailey & Co.

EVERY family should use from six to twelve of those Turkish towels we offer at 10 cents each, that are easily worth 20 cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

ALL other sales of summer goods pass into insignificance in comparison with ours; the bargains are takers in dry goods of all descriptions. T. P. Barnes.

FRANK IRISH accidentally caught his right hand in a printing machine at the Thoroughgood & Company box factory this afternoon injuring his thumb.

THE Good Templars installed their new officers last night. W. G. Kildow was elected as representative to the Grand Lodge, with M. S. Kellogg as alternate.

THERE are many different brands of flour, but Pearl White and Vienna may compare with any of them. They are made at home. Insist on getting them. J. M. Shackleton.

OUR local golf players will attempt to break the record for a long drive, on Friday, at the Scotch games. Rumor asserts that even the "Caddies" are practicing at "early morn and dewy eve."

PURE Cream Cheese, White Clover Honey, Heinz's Pork and Beans in Tomato sauce, and the finest line of Canned Goods in the City are to be found at the Vankirk Grocery Company, 12 South River street.

THE hard times make purchasers more watchful for money-saving chances. Bargains are sought after with greater zeal than ever. That's why our August sale of dry goods is so popular and so well attended. T. P. Barnes.

THE new fire well at Spring Brook was tried last night, and the test was fairly successful, although some additional adjustments will be made after the intense heat abates. Chief Spencer is confident that the well will be a success after these adjustments are made.

THE tug of war between representatives of Johnston, Milton Junction, Edgerton, Evansville, Center, Shoreline and Beloit will be a great attraction at the Scotch games. Thirty dollars are offered for the strongest men in the contest. Last year Johnston won first prize, Milton Junction second prize.

LYNCH BROTHERS, the restaurant men, will open the dining rooms over their establishment, in the Opera House block, tomorrow. They will have fish, game and oysters in season and will run the business on business lines. Both members of the firm have had large experience in the restaurant business, and are entirely competent.

GAY COUPLE FLED IN DEAD OF NIGHT

HOTEL MEN SAY IT WASN'T RIGHT

That They Should Lose That Board Bill Large, and to P and L the Items Charge, When Man Had Money Enough to Pay, But, Instead, Did Run Away.

On June twenty-seventh, in ninety-six there came to the Park Hotel, a couple who wrote on the register, "The names—and address as well."

"R. H. Bidwell," the first line read; "Minneapolis, Minn.," the second. "I'm selling soap," the man declared, and said "twas the best—he reckoned."

And since that day—until last night—That couple there did stay, And slept, forsooth, as well as ate, But never thought to pay.

The wife, she was a winsome maid, The husband he was clever, So both were thought to be "real nice," But crooked? Oh, no—never!

And so they stayed at the hotel, And walked to no suspicion, That they would yet "get up and get," And "take their baggage with 'em."

"Just call us up," he said last night, "At five," and tell the boys To make no hulk, as we would go To Harvard, Illinois."

And then they hid themselves to bed, To sleep the sleep of just; But thinking, mind you, all the time, "We'll fly unseen or bust."

And this they did at 2 a. m., And no one heard them going, In vain the clerks rapped on the door, When the roosters were a crowing.

Down the back stairs, with stealthy tread, Did this gay couple go, And when folks asked "to whence and where?" Why, no one seemed to know.

They called upon three liveriesmen, Before the break of dawn And tried of them, to hire a team, That was big, and swift and strong.

"We have no beasts that you could use," Said smiling Mike McQue, "I'm sorry, too, for I should be glad To accommodate you two."

Will Davis, too, could not arrange To suit them; not at all, And so they went, without delay, To the barn of Joshua Crall.

He had no team to carry them, So then they took their time, And left for Milton, overland, —Via Foote & Walker's Line.

"Yes, I am mad," the landlord said "For they owe me dollars thirty, And this, for a soap man's trick, Would seem to be quite dirty."

MORAL. If you want to stay at the Park Hotel And for peace and quiet hope, Just keep the fact a secret, if Your Trade Is Selling Soap.

MRS. DENNING PAINFULLY HURT

Her Arm Broken in Two Places as the Result of a Runaway.

Mrs. Minerva Denning and Miss Ada Robinson, were thrown from a buggy, near Emerald Grove, about 5 o'clock last evening, and besides sustaining bruises, Mrs. Denning's left arm was broken in two places. Mrs. Denning resides with her son-in-law, N. B. Robinson, 3 Garfield avenue, and together with her little granddaughter, was returning home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Doubleday, who reside near the Grove. While passing the Frank Coulter farm, their horse took fright at a flock of sheep which were grazing near by, and, without a moment's warning, shied out, tipping the buggy over.

Dr. W. H. Judd, assisted by Dr. James Gibson dressed the injury. Mrs. Denning was brought to this city today, and is now resting as comfortably as could be expected. Miss Ada escaped injury.

MONROE WHEELMEN RACE TODAY.

Party of Six Went Through Janesville Enroute to Madison.

A party of six Monroe wheelmen were in the city today on their way to Madison, where races took place this afternoon. The party included E. C. White, J. H. Eaton, Frank Hodges, Earl Howe, Fred Blumer and J. M. Hodges. All carried their wheels, and the last named three will take part in the contests.

That Excursion to Lake Pewaukee.

The following is what the excursionists to Waukesha and Pewaukee Lake next Wednesday may expect. The train leaves the Northwestern depot here at 7:30 a. m. and proceeds direct to Waukesha. At the Northwestern depot in Waukesha there will be in waiting six open electric cars each with a carrying capacity of one hundred. These will start as soon as the excursion train arrives, and the trip be made to the lake, which is six and a quarter miles distant, the route laying through the woods and across farms. The electric cars go directly to the picnic grounds, so the excursionists are saved any walk at all at that end of the line. The day may be spent at the lake where there is excellent fishing, boating, bathing, etc., or at Waukesha among the numerous attractions of that summer resort, or the day may be divided between the two. One of the attractions at the picnic grounds will be the base ball game between the Y. M. C. A. team and the Waukesha nine, this will be on the picnic grounds and no admission fee will be charged. The train will leave for the homeward trip at 6:30 arriving here at 8:30. The entire expense of the trip including everything except meals is one dollar. A more enjoyable excursion than this and at such a price it would be hard to arrange. Tickets can be had at Stearns & Baker's, Smith's pharmacy and Ja Sutherland & Son's.

PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.

E. P. SALMON was up from Beloit today.

Mrs. C. D. CHILD spent the day in Lima.

Mrs. J. E. NOLAN is numbered among the sick.

CHAS. R. BENTLEY, of Edgerton, spent the day in the city.

PERRY FRANK wheeled down from Milton today, on his bicycle.

CAL BROUGHTON has been engaged to umpire the Milton-Janesville game.

C. D. REED, C. Jay Smith, and C. E. Copeland were down from Evansville today.

Dr. and Mrs. George Post have moved into their flat in the Kent block.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Swan, of Mason City, Iowa, are the guests of local friends.

MISS ALMA GOLLING has left on a two weeks' visit with friends in Beaver dam.

MR. and Mrs. W. S. Pond returned home today from a visit with friends in Albany.

MISS IRENE VAN VRANKEN is home from a visit with friends at Elkhorn and vicinity.

MR. S. D. R. MORRISON and daughter left this morning for a week's visit at Fort Atkinson.

ASSISTANT State Veterinary Surgeon William Clark, of Beaver Dam, was in the city today.

Mrs. F. SEAVENSON of Rockford, who has been visiting friends, returned home last evening.

ASSISTANT Food and Dairy Commissioner W. W. Chadwick, of Monroe was in the city today.

Mrs. E. G. STETSON who has been to Europe is now in Chicago and expected home next week.

C. M. FLECK arrived home last evening, from a business trip in the northern part of the state.

MISS MYRTLE MANLEY, of Neenah, who arrived in the city this noon is visiting the Misses Stoller.

CHAS. DEWEY representing an Oconomowoc sausage firm called on the local hotels and butchers today.

THE Misses Regina and Josie Reiss are the guests of their sister, Mrs. P. E. Neuses, at her Riverview Park home.

Mrs. ALDEN FIELDS and two sons, of Sharon, have been spending the last week at Idlewild Park, the guests of J. W. Hodgdon and family.

DEATH ENDS EARTHLY WOES

Funeral of Mrs. Nash.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. James Nash were held this morning from St. Patrick's church at 9:30 o'clock. The Rev. E. M. McGillicuddy officiated and the interment was made in Mount Olivet cemetery. The pall bearers were James Dee, James Murphy, John Conway, Richard Barry, Patrick Enright and James Wood.

Mrs. William R. Bates.

News was received today of the death of Mrs. William R. Bates, of Chicago, wife of William R. Bates, who resided here at one time. The remains will be interred here.

Dennis J. Concannon.

Dennis J. Concannon died this morning at Denver, Col.

"Lost in Egypt."

"Lost in Egypt" is the name of a play to be presented at the "Myers Grand on Monday evening. It is said to be good, and the Cincinnati Enquirer has the following to say in regard to the company.

"If there were more plays like 'Lost in Egypt,' as presented by Milton & Bradbury's company, the theaters would enjoy better patronage. It is a strongly dramatic story, healthy in tone, pure in moral and supplying enough adventure to gratify almost any appetite for romance. A packed house laughed, cried and applauded alternately for two hours and a half as the temporary misadventures of two pairs of young lovers at critical junctures. Of course Elam Rice is an object for general appreciation. There is not a hackneyed line in it. The situations are dramatic where need be; intensely funny when occasion requires, and the sympathies of the audience are aroused to the utmost. Messrs. Milton and Bradbury have set the play elaborately, and among other effects carry two full grown American panthers. These beasts are accessories to a highly exciting climax. The company is well balanced. Two highly pleased audiences witnessed 'Lost in Egypt' yesterday.

Decorated Crockery

At Cost

to close out our decorated china, 100-piece dinner sets, sets of cups and plates and pretty china pieces at cost. Glassware and crockery at reduced prices.

E. HALL, W. Milwaukee Street.

COAL AND WOOD

Of the best quality is what you want. Next to that comes full weight and measure. Then comes the price, which must be right. Give us your orders and we will prove to you that we can fulfill the above requirements.

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House Moving.

Safe and Piano Moving given special attention. Orders left at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy. Telephone 202 will receive prompt attention.

EUGENE T. FISH.

DR. H. J. WARDLAW,

DENTIST.

Graduate Pennsylvania Dental College, Philadelphia. Rooms over the Live Store.

FIND MANY CHANGES IN THEIR CANVASS

DIRECTORY SOLICITORS ARE NEARLY THROUGH WORK.

Unusually Large Number Of Vacant Houses Are Listed, and an Increase in Population Can Hardly Be Expected For That Reason—Issue Book Sept. 1.

Janesville's new city directory will be issued about the first of next month, and the solicitors expect to finish their work next week.

The book, in its makeup, will be practically the same as those of the past, although there have been enough changes since the last one was issued, in both the residence and business portions, to warrant the issuing of a new book. One of the members of the A. G. Wright force said that their work in Janesville had revealed several changes, among the most noticeable being the unusually large number of empty houses in all parts of the city. It can hardly be expected, therefore, that the new book will show an increase in population, and there is little doubt but what the figures will remain about the same—in the neighborhood of 13,000.

NEW RANGE FOR MILITIAMEN

Rifle Practice Is Indulged in on the Root Farm.

The Light Infantry riflemen now use a new range, on the H. O. Root farm, in the town of Janesville. The range is on level ground, and has a straight-away course of 550 yards. James Root made the following scores out of a possible fifty points: At 200 yards, 36; 300 yards, 39; 500 yards, 43; and 600 yards, 37. On a skirmish run he aggregated 82 points out of a possible 300.

EVANSVILLE JUSTICE RESIGNS.

Displeased Over a Petition of Citizens for Release of a Prisoner.

Thomas Austin, of Evansville, a few days since, was sentenced to fifteen days in jail by Police Justice W. R. Phillips, on account of an assault committed on Dr. George F. Spencer. Some of Austin's friends, thinking the punishment excessive, circulated a petition, which was largely signed, asking that the governor pardon Austin. Justice Phillips signed the petition and then tendered his resignation.

It's Much Too Warm

—to cook the meals this summer bent over a hot coal fire. Your health and happiness should be considered above all other things. Therefore, use GAS as the summer fuel. It gives the housekeeper much comfort and rest.

The Gas Stove

placed as you wish it in the kitchen, connected and ready for use,

\$12.

It's surprising how small the monthly bill will be with ordinary precaution, and after you have used the stove one week you will wonder how you ever managed without it. It's truth—every word. Such is the experience of others and will be yours.

NEW GAS LIGHT CO.

5 North Main Street.

Office open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

We Test The

.....Free of Charge

and fit glasses perfectly. Don't neglect the first indication of eye weakness. Glasses will save much trouble and the cost is very small.

S. C. BURNHAM & CO.,

Jewelers and Music Dealers.

Corliss & Ensign,

the new Freight and Baggage Line.

Household goods moving a specialty. Leave orders at Palmer & Bonesteel's drug store.

R. R. POWELL,

DENTIST.

HOURS: 9 to 12 a. m. to 5 p. m. JANESVILLE

Over Mrs. Woodstock's millinery store, West Milwaukee Street.

Office open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

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Jewelers and Music Dealers.

THE TIEF.

When a pair of lovers quarrel
And in pride and anger part,
Off with hasty speech unkindly
Wringing each the other's heart,
As with high and haughty footstep
Trips offended maid away,
She will turn her head a moment,
Glancing only—so she'll say—
At the glow of dying day,
Maiden's way! Maiden's way!

When a pair of lovers weary
Of such comedy of strife,
Meet again and sue forgiveness,
Vowing harmony for life,
As, with soft and tender glances,
For one little kiss he'll pray,
She will turn her head a moment,
Coily feigning shy delay,
Lest he think he's won the day,
Maiden's way! Maiden's way!

—St. Paul's.

ABOVE THE CLOUDS.

"One thing I could never understand," said the judge as he looked around at three or four guests after dinner, "is why everybody seems to expect a man when telling a story orally to confine himself strictly to the truth while no one ever demands anything of the sort from a writing story teller. It isn't fair. Besides it is based on wrong principles. When a man tells a story, he ought to make it just as interesting as he can regardless of all considerations of truth."

"Dangerous doctrine. Might be extremely demoralizing," observed the dominie.

"I can't think so," returned the judge. "Take the case of a host, for instance. I hold that it is not only his privilege but his duty to entertain his guests with the best stories he can tell and give no thought to truth. And I'll undertake to show you that it is not demoralizing in any way. You remember having heard me mention the tramp trip which I took around the world when I was a young man, I presume."

"I believe so," answered the major doubtfully.

"I wasn't, of course, exactly what we picture when we think of a tramp, but I didn't have much money and naturally I fell in with all sorts and conditions of men. I reached my lowest ebb financially in Sydney, Australia. At a cheap boarding house I became acquainted with a man who was by profession an aeronaut. His name was Mudgett, though on the bills he scintillated as Signor Campanella.

"He was an excellent story teller and a good fellow, though, like myself, he was passing through a regular Oakhurstian streak of bad luck. He had lost his balloon. It seemed that the thing had blown away one particularly windy afternoon just before the ascent, and the poor fellow was waiting in hopes that it would be found out in the bush somewhere and brought in. It used to be quite pathetic to see him search through the want advertisements in the morning papers, looking for the heading of 'Found—Balloon,' but he never came across it. He also advertised it himself, giving a full description of the balloon and offering a reward of £10 for its return, but in this he was equally unsuccessful.

"At last he gave up all hope. 'Some woman found that balloon,' he would say, 'and couldn't resist the temptation to cut it up for silk dresses. Well, she's fixed for a good while anyhow; that balloon ought to make an ordinary sized woman about 200 dresses, though I'll bet a shilling she'll get tired of the color along on the last half of the second 100.' It was before the day of big sleeves, so I dare say he was right about the number.

"But my friend's fortunes changed finally, temporarily at least. He found a man willing to furnish money for a new balloon, and after it was finished he made regular daily ascents for a fortnight. He asked me to accompany him, and I did so several times. However, ill luck still pursued Campanella, and two weeks after he got his new balloon he one day had a row with a drunken sailor and went to the hospital with a broken head.

"The manager came to me in despair. Could not I make the ascent? I agreed and went over to the grounds. Here I put on the signor's gorgeous apparel and climbed into the basket. There was a trapeze below the basket on which the signor was wont to hang by his toes and otherwise to playfully disport himself while going up, but I judiciously kept off and stuck to the basket.

"The crowd made a great uproar about this, feeling that they were not getting their money's worth unless they saw a man endanger his life. I could hear the manager explaining that I would begin to perform as soon as I was up high enough to make it worth while, and later I understood that after I had passed out of sight above the clouds he assured them that I was then doing the most blood curdling feats on that trapeze that any human being ever attempted.

"There was a rather stiff breeze blowing and I sailed along at a good rate. I had shot up 6,000 or 7,000 feet, and far below was a mighty ocean of white cloud. Where I was the sun shone brightly, and it was cool and pleasant, but I could soon see the lightning thrashing about below and hear the thunder growl. I had no desire to go down into a thunderstorm, so I sailed on.

"At the end of two hours I was still driving along at the rate, I estimated, of 50 or 60 miles an hour. I had grown tired of watching the raging storm below and looked off toward what I suppose I may call the horizon. Far away against the sky I saw a speck. I thought it was a bird at first, but as we approached nearer what was my astonishment to see that it was another balloon.

"We were being driven by currents blowing at right angles and were rapidly coming closer together. Soon I could make out another person in the other balloon. I waved my hand at him, and, as he was a hundred feet above me, I threw out a few handfuls of ballast. I rose and instantly saw that we were

going to meet. I prepared a rope, and as the sides of our great bags touched I threw one end into the oncoming basket. As the other aeronaut straightened up from making the end fast I was further astonished when my eyes met those of a beautiful young woman.

"The line was holding us only 10 or 12 feet apart. I took off my hat and, as a total stranger, apologized for addressing her, but hoped that the unusual circumstances of our meeting would excuse my apparent rudeness. Besides, I fancied that her face seemed familiar, though this, of course, was a flat lie. She smiled and gracefully accepted my apology. She was young, bright and, I thought, the handsomest girl I had ever seen. She was tastefully dressed in a fancy costume, with skirts reaching just below the knee.

"We were soon chatting pleasantly together, and I learned that she had gone up (or come up, rather,) that afternoon from Melbourne, and had been driving before the wind above the storm, as I had myself been doing. It was, she said, only her third ascent, but she was perfectly cool and laughed gayly over our somewhat strange meeting. I happened to look closely at her balloon, and suddenly it struck me that it answered the description of the one the signor had lost. I asked her delicately where she got it, and she said that it had come down one day in her father's front yard, and after a diligent attempt to find the owner by advertising in all of the Melbourne papers and putting up a notice in the post office she had decided to begin making ascents with the balloon herself, since there was a heavy mortgage on her father's farm and danger of his losing it if £500 was not raised soon.

"She was much embarrassed when I told her that I knew the owner of the balloon, and instantly said she would return it to him at the earliest possible moment. I was by this time so taken by her that I told her she should do nothing of the sort; that as the signor had got another balloon I would see that she was not disappointed, though I had not the least idea how I should ever pay for it.

"At this she blushed, thanked me, but said that mamma would not allow her to accept such a gift from a comparative stranger. I was deeply touched by her delicacy in the matter, but resolved that she should own the balloon nevertheless. In fact, to tell the truth, I was, as you may guess, falling in love with the girl just as rapidly as it is possible for any man to fall in love with any young woman.

"And, to make a long story short, by the time the storm was over and we began to descend I was engaged to her, subject to the consent of her parents. As we settled toward the earth and I gazed across into her great, liquid eyes and saw there the light of awakening love I was the happiest man above the Australian continent. But one dark thought crossed my mind—that of my utter poverty.

"We soon reached terra firma, and a delicious thrill shot through me as I touched her hand for the first time in assisting her from her basket. I then turned and picked up a stone to use in staking down our balloons. I saw something gleam on it. I examined closely. Gold! A glance showed more all about on the ground. I used my stakes in marking out a claim. It became the celebrated Gas Bag mine, of which you have heard, and a month later I sold it for £200,000. We were married in Woolloomoolloo."

"See here, judge," broke in the dominie, "I thought this story was going to introduce an incident to prove that lying is not demoralizing!"

"I promised nothing of the sort," returned the judge. "This story is an example, not an incident to prove anything. However there may be proof in it after all. I have told it, and I'll leave it to any one here if I am demoralized."—Hayden Carruth in Chicago Post.

The Game as Played in Africa.

It can hardly be too often repeated that the Jameson raid and the Johannesburg rising are merely incidents in the game which has been played for years and is still playing between Mr. Rhodes as the representative of British hegemony and President Kruger as representative of Dutch and ultimately, though not willingly, of German. I have a good deal of admiration for President Kruger as a strong man in a difficult place and highly esteem the Boers as a resolute and hardy race, but President Kruger's government is intolerable, and if he were to win we should lose the headship of South Africa. There is a great deal of talk now about getting at the guilty person behind Jameson's raid and Johannesburg's revolt. This is assumed to be Mr. Rhodes—a short sighted assumption.

Behind the reform committee, who merely found an ally in Mr. Rhodes, looms the formidable first cause of the disturbances in the Transvaal, the ungainly figure of the old dopper dictator. Give him all praise for diplomacy, courage, tenacity and a certain diplomatic magnanimity, but remember that the oppression and corruption of his government, deaf to remonstrance or warning, is the real cause of the trouble, and that the guilt for the blood spilled at Krugersdorp, as for the suicides in the trunk at Pretoria, rests on the unrelenting, though somewhat unctuous, autocrat of the Transvaal.—Fortnightly Review.

Half a Loaf.

The Northern American Turnerbund, which recently met at Louisville, has a "woman question." It was recommended by the committee that women be permitted to take part in the big carnival at St. Louis next year, which was carried, but they were denied admittance into the convention by a vote of 215 to 167.

Got the Pen Mixed.

"Yes, sir," said the fat stranger, "the pen is mightier than the sword." "From Chicago, ain't you?"—Atlanta Constitution.



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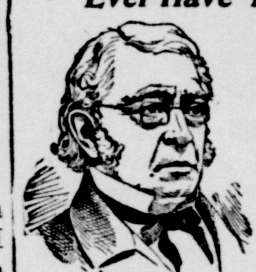
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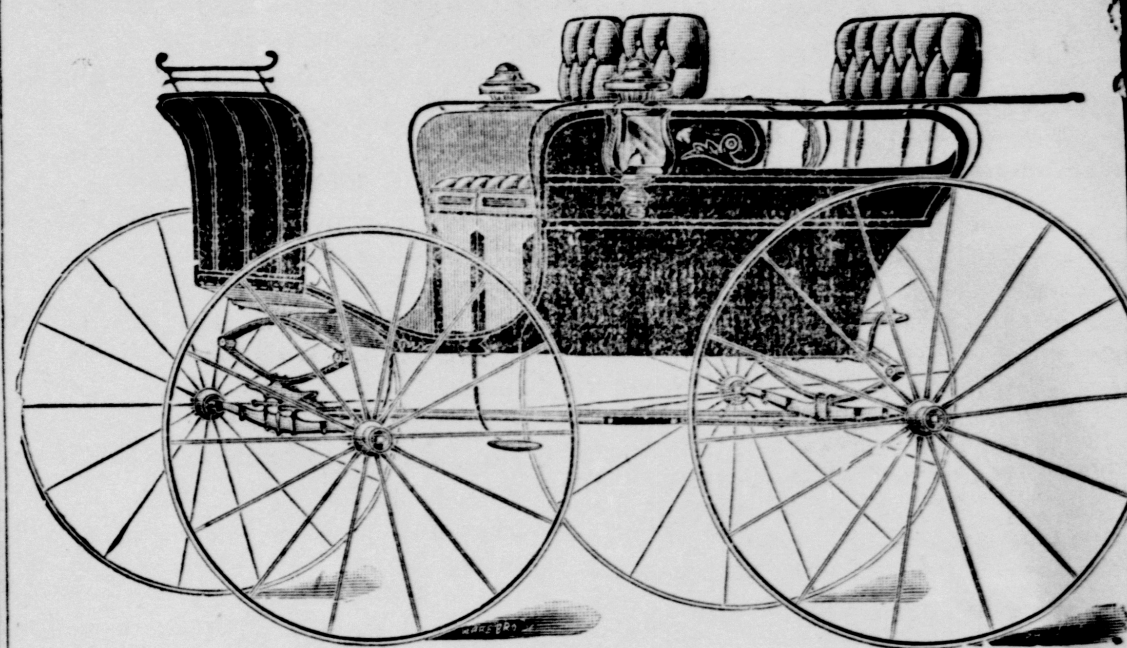
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The Difference.

Mr. Frankstown—There goes young Mr. Homewood cycling with that pretty rascallish widow.

Mr. Point Breeze—Yes; he's deeply infatuated with her. He tells me he can't live without her.

Mr. Frankstown—That's odd. I know her ex-husband very well, and he confided to me that he could not live with her.—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Her Version.

"Sixteen to one," she murmured; "yes, this dazzling scheme I clearly guess; it fairly makes my poor head whirl! Sixteen engagements for one girl!"

—Chicago Record.

A MILK FAMINE THREATENED.



Farmer Reaper—Hello, Waters, fine weather this.

Waters (the dairyman)—Yes, very fine, but if we don't have some rain pretty soon I don't know what I shall do for milk.—Chicago Tribune.

Another Version.

He stood beside the hotel bed. He'd paid two dollars for and said, "It's horrible to have to sleep upon a mattress stuffed with cheap Excelsior!"

—L. A. W. Bulletin.

One Chance Left.

Great Statesman—I have just received a letter from my brother. He has failed in business again. No matter what he tries, he fails utterly. Singular, isn't it?

Ordinary Citizen—Well, if he is too incompetent for any trade, business or profession, why in the world doesn't he go into politics?—N. Y. Weekly.

Not Up to the Requirements.

"I'm sorry, miss," said the leading director of the school in Milkweed township to the young woman who had applied for the position of teacher, "but your orthography ain't up to grade. You don't seem to know how to spell chimbley."—Chicago Tribune.

His Good Opinion.

She—It is no use, Mr. De Tone; in my present state of mind I would not accept the best man living.

He—No; I see you won't; but, at any rate, you will have the satisfaction of knowing that he has offered himself.—Hartford Times.

Hard on the Hotel.

"What sort of climate have you?" inquired the prospective guest.

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Took That.

"Be mine," he implored.

"No," she answered.

"I won't take 'no' for an answer," he shrieked.

"N't, then," she responded.

And he took his hat and sadly went.—Scranton Truth.

A Mistake Corrected.

First Delegate—I don't believe you opened your mouth during the entire session of the convention.

Second Delegate—That's where you are mistaken; I yawned every time you made a speech.—Texas Sifter.

An Honest Soul.

"Mister, please gimme a dime."

"What—poor man—are you entirely out of pocket?"

"Naw—I've got dead loads of pocket, but I hain't got no cash."—Detroit Free Press.

The Question of the Hour.

Rounly—What are you and your family going to do this summer?

Townly—I don't know yet, but it will have to be something that will make our neighbors think we have had a better time than they've had.—Truth.

The Final Effort.

He—They tell me Miss Waning is determined to take the veil.

She—Yes. She will put in one more year trying to make it the bridal veil and in case of failure she will get her to a nunnery.—Detroit Free Press.

The Soul of Music.

"I like the old-fashioned songs," remarked the man with a bored look and an ungenial squint.

"Why is that?"

"Nobody sings them."—Washington Star.

Same Source.

Slydig — Miss Footlite's reputation and complexion are very much alike.

Flyrig—Meaning they are both brilliant?

Slydig—Meaning they were both made with a puff.—N. Y. Herald.

Grasping Disposition.

Clara—Oh! have you heard about Cora Carrot? She is going to marry a rich widower with six children.

Dora—She always was a greedy thing.—Tit-Bits.

Her Dream.

"Oh, Walter, I had a lovely dream last night. I dreamed I was in Heaven."

"What were you doing there?"

"Shopping."—Detroit Free Press.

Trolley Car Agnosticism.

Evangelist—My dear man, don't you believe in a Guiding Power overhead?

The Reprobate—No, sir! I'm an advocate of compressed air motors. No overhead system for me.—Brooklyn Life.

Paternal Generosity.

The Young Man—I have come, sir, to ask for the hand of your daughter.

The Gouty Father—All right; all right; you may have both of them if you will only take the confounded piano along with them!—Yonkers Statesman.

Awfully Vain.

Jayson—Duzzy is an awful vain fellow, isn't he?

Jubley—What gave you that idea?

Jayson—I've noticed that he can't take a drink without looking in the glass.—Roxbury Gazette.

Too Much for Them.

"Weren't you vexed when you found moths in your closet?"

"Indeed I was; they ate up every rag of clothing except my wife's bloomers."—Chicago Record.

Like a Hen.

Kicksby—Wife, can you tell me why I am like a hen?

Mrs. Kicksby—No, dear; why is it?

Kicksby—Because I can seldom find anything where I laid it yesterday.—San Francisco City Argus.

Pertinent Answer.

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"He asked me when I expected to move in."—Detroit Free Press.

The Girl Who Won.

Dr. Pills—Who was the most successful of all the girls who were studying medicine with you?

Dr. Squills—Miss Ketchem; she got married.—Tit-Bits.

Made Her Tired.

Ella—Did Fred propose last night?

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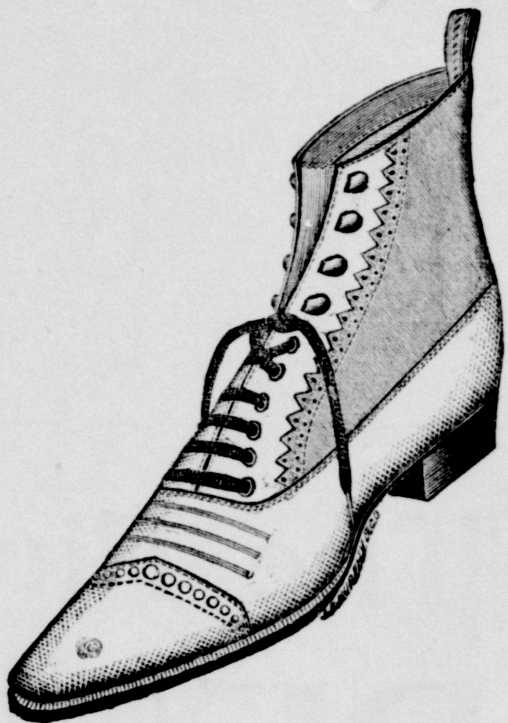
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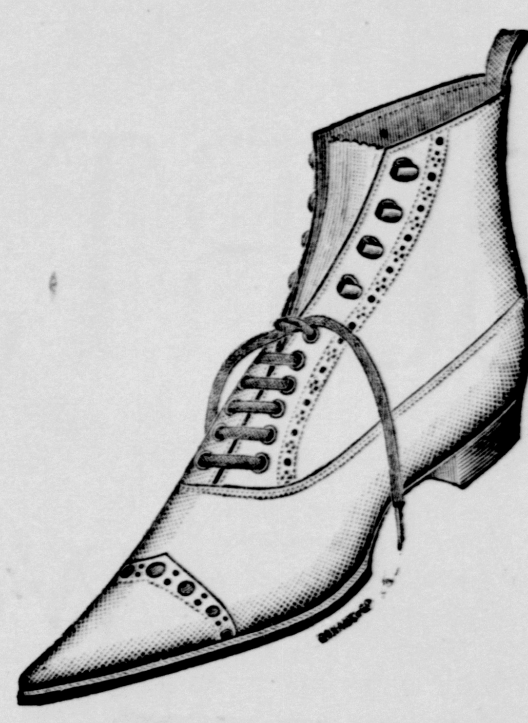
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